MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARKSVILLE, ARKANSAS HELD IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF CITY HALL ON APRIL 10, 2017 AT 6:00 P.M.

PRESENT AND PRESIDING: Mayor Mark Simpson, City Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Blackard and City Attorney Bruce Wilson.

ALDERMEN PRESENT: Edward Bradley, Heather Johnston, Eddie King, Danna Schneider, Judy Weaver and Freeman Wish.

Alderman Schneider made a motion to approve the Agenda which Alderman Weaver seconded. Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Alderman Weaver made a motion to approve the Minutes which Alderman Bradley seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

NEW BUSINESS

Spring Greening Festival request to close street

Jacob Gould requested that the block of Cravens between Main Street and Sevier Street be blocked from 7 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Saturday April 22nd for the Spring Greening Festival. Alderman Schneider made a motion to block Cravens Street between Main Street and Sevier Street on April 22nd which Alderman King seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Re-Appointment of Terri Stumbaugh to the U of O Public Educational Facilities Board Alderman Schneider made a motion to re-appoint Terri Stumbaugh for a five year term to expire on May 11, 2022 which Alderman Wish seconded.

Vote ave: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish.

Appointment of Doris Bird to the Advertising and Promotion Commission

Alderman King made a motion to appoint Doris Bird to the Advertising & Promotion Commission for a term of five (5) years which Alderman Johnston seconded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish

Reports

Advertising & Promotion

Judy Weaver reported the A&P commission had met and was in the process of revising the Guidelines.

City Hall

City Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Blackard stated that A-Test would be conducting a class on Medical Marijuana at City Hall on April 11th at 1:00 p.m. A list of Records to Destroy (copy attached) was presented to the Council for approval to destroy. Alderman King made a motion approving the request to destroy 1980 Bond Files, Receipt Books: 1989-2010, Bank Statements 1997-1999, Deposit Books 1998-2011, Time Sheets 2006-2009, A & P Gross Tax Receipt Forms 1997-2008 and Miscellaneous FEMA Files – outdated. Alderman Weaver seconded the motion and the following vote was recorded.

Vote aye: Aldermen Bradley, Johnston, King, Schneider, Weaver and Wish

Economic Development

Kellie Danielson, Chamber CEO submitted the monthly report (copy attached). Kellie reminded everyone of the open house at Blossomberry Nursery on Thursday March 16th at 5:00 p.m.

Fire

Fire Chief Clark Gray submitted the monthly report (copy attached).

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Light & Water

Light & Water monthly report was submitted (copy attached).

Parks

Mayor Simpson reported that the Parks Department Relay for Life team had sponsored a 5k run on Saturday morning and a 1 mile fun run.

Police

Police Chief Kevin Weathers submitted the monthly report (copy attached).

Street

Morgan Barrett reported that he was continuing to work on the Clark Road project.

Treasurer

Treasurer's Report, Budget Comparison and Disbursements were submitted along with the financials.

After motion being made and seconded the meeting adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

Mayor Mark Simpson

ATTEST:

City Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Blackard